





# THE GREAT VEGETABLE BLOOD PURIFIER FOR SPRING TROUBLES.

## Grateful Witnesses

### RECITE THE STORY.

#### BOTH MALARIA AND RHEUMATISM.

Months ago I had occasion to publicly testify to the rare curative properties of Swift's Specific in the treatment of malaria, from which I had suffered for several years. I am again constrained to bear testimony to the virtue of this famous medicine in the treatment of another and quite a different disease.

During my late visit to the North I was stricken down with malarial fever, and at times my recovery was extremely doubtful. At this period of my sickness, however, a copy of an Atlanta paper came to hand in which was a certificate from some person who had used with success Swift's Specific in a similar case. Having a bottle with me, I immediately commenced taking it, and I am proud to say that good results followed at once. I then procured a few bottles from Boston, and continued to take three doses daily until I recovered my health perfectly, a result largely due to that valuable preparation, S. S. S.

Gratefully, S. S. S. HERRBERT.

Atlanta, January, 1886.

#### INTERESTING TEXAS CASE.

The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Gentlemen: In answer to your inquiries as to the health of my little girl, I state: Her health is good. For ten years she has been afflicted with disease of the hip-joint, and although she has been rendered permanently lame, her abscesses have healed and her health is good. I have every reason to believe that she owes her restoration to the use of S. S. S., by which her blood has been purified and she invigorated. In all she has taken some 15 bottles, and is still keeping up its use. I charge nothing for saying that I have great faith in S. S. S. and to its healing and blood-purifying properties I attribute the restoration of my little girl to perfect health. Yours truly,

Editor North Texas, Paris, Texas.

January 20, 1886.

#### BLOOD POISON.

Three years ago I contracted blood poison. I took mercury and potash for six months without any benefit. I then took Swift's Specific, and it soon drove away every symptom of the disease. I recommend S. S. S. on every occasion, as it is really a boon to humanity, and every one suffering with blood poison can take it with great confidence.

PROF. EDWIN RAAB,

234 East Third-street, St. Louis.

New York, January 13, 1886.

#### A GREAT NATIONAL REMEDY

STANDING THE TEST OF TIME.

RELIEVING

Suffering Humanity for

a Period of over

Cleanses the system of the baneful effects of

Mercury Poison

And gives the victim a new lease upon life

MRS. HEARN'S STATEMENT.

I have been troubled with eczema of my face for the past three years and a half. My entire face was covered with it, and it rendered me so conspicuous that it was unpleasant to appear in public. I consulted the ablest physicians in the city, among others a celebrated specialist in diseases of the skin, who treated me during the first winter without the slightest perceptible benefit. I then tried the sulphur treatment and various advertised medicines with little or no effect. I visited several springs, including Hot Springs of Arkansas, during the succeeding two years. At the latter point I placed myself under treatment of one of the leading physicians. Although my general health was greatly improved, the springs failed to accomplish the object of my visit. The eczema still clung to me, and was a great source of inconvenience and discomfort. After returning East fully convinced that I would find no remedy, an acquaintance, who said that she herself had been raised from bed and cured of scrofula by S. S. S., so strongly advised me to try that I began, with belief but slight traces of it left. Swift's Specific is certainly a wonderful remedy, and I feel very grateful that I ever found it. I believe it will benefit others, and am ready to answer personally any inquiries in reference to its effects upon me.

MRS. E. HEARN,

33 East Ninth street, New York.

December 25, 1885.

#### BLOOD POISON RELIEVED.

Three years ago I was afflicted with that most horrible of diseases, blood poison. In vain I sought help from the medical profession, changing doctors two or three times. The mercurial remedies used soon put me on crutches, and brought on untold pain. I could see myself falling every day. My weight was reduced from 150 to 117 pounds in six weeks. I could see no use of living, situated as I was, a blessing to me at times that I felt like taking my life. Friends interfered, and urged me to go to Hot Springs, I started, but on my way met a friend, who had been cured by Swift's Specific, and he urged me to try it. I had no faith in patent medicines, and at first would not listen to such advice. But my sufferings were intense I finally yielded. After the first bottle I felt a great change, and by the time I had used one dozen bottles I was like myself once more. I still felt some pains in my limbs, and so continued the use of the medicine, and to-day one would never think that I had been such a wreck and curdly that wonderful remedy. It stands at the head of all blood remedies, and is a blessing to all mankind.

J. H. BROWN,

Hornellville, Steuben county, N. Y.

Nov. 30, 1885.

#### CATARH AND BLOOD TAIN.

I have been a sufferer for years from catarrh and blood taint. After the application of all the known remedies for such diseases, I found myself last summer on the very verge of the grave. Nothing seemed to do me good. As a last resort, I commenced to take S. S. S., and have taken it all eighteen bottles. Before I had taken the second bottle I felt a decided improvement, and am to-day enjoying most excellent health—better than for many years.

MRS. E. J. COSSAIAH,

Richmond, Va., June 29, 1885.

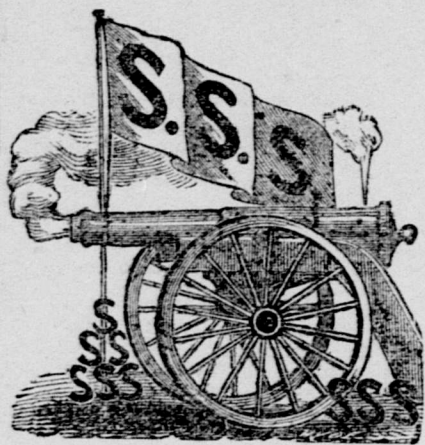
#### RHEUMATISM CURED.

For thirty years I have suffered from rheumatism. I tried every known treatment, but to no permanent good effect. Swift's Specific has cured me entirely.

O. F. RICE, with Howe Scale Co.

Albany, N. Y., June 20, 1885.

## ITS BOOM



Heard Everywhere.

#### FROM ALABAMA.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism over three years. Two years of the time I could not walk a step—could not even stand on my feet. My joints were all swollen, and some of them running sores. I commenced taking S. S. S., and in six weeks was walking. I consider that I am cured of the worst case of rheumatism that I ever heard of, and Swift's Specific did the work.

L. E. PRUITT,

Salem, Ala., January 21, 1886.

We know the above statement to be true. We gave him the medicine (S. S. S.). The day we gave it to him he actually could not stand upon his feet—had no use of his limbs whatever. We make this statement cheerfully, as the result of our own observation.

ADAMS BROS. & CO.,

Dealers in General Merchandise.

Salem, Ala., January 21, 1886.

#### WONDERFUL EFFECTS FROM ONE BOTTLE.

I have for the past five years been suffering from what the physicians told me was malarial poisoning. Have taken a great deal of medicine for it, many times going through a regular course as prescribed for me, but got no relief. I have now taken one bottle of S. S. S., and I have no more chills and no bad feeling, and am free from the disease. It has helped my appetite greatly and built me up generally.

JOSEPH ANDERSON, 323 Third Ave.

New York, December 9, 1885.

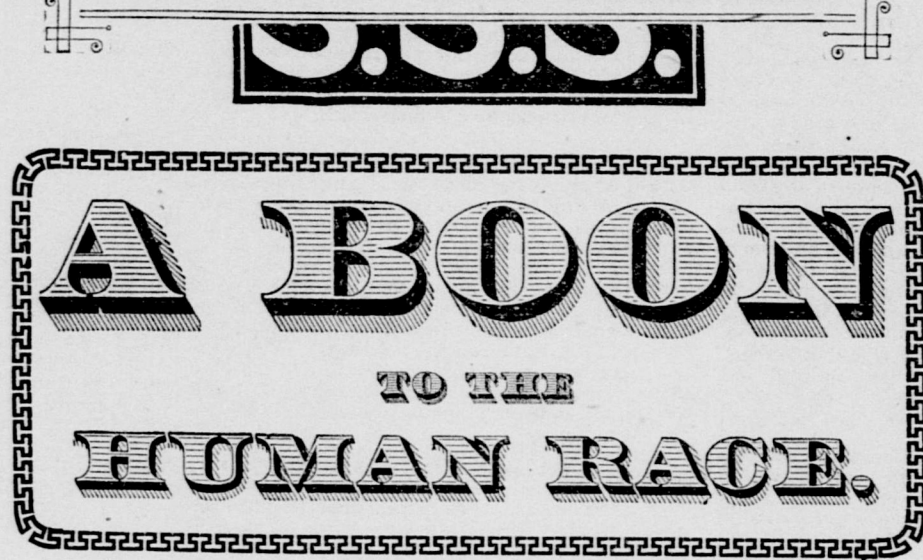
## A RECORD OF FIFTY YEARS.



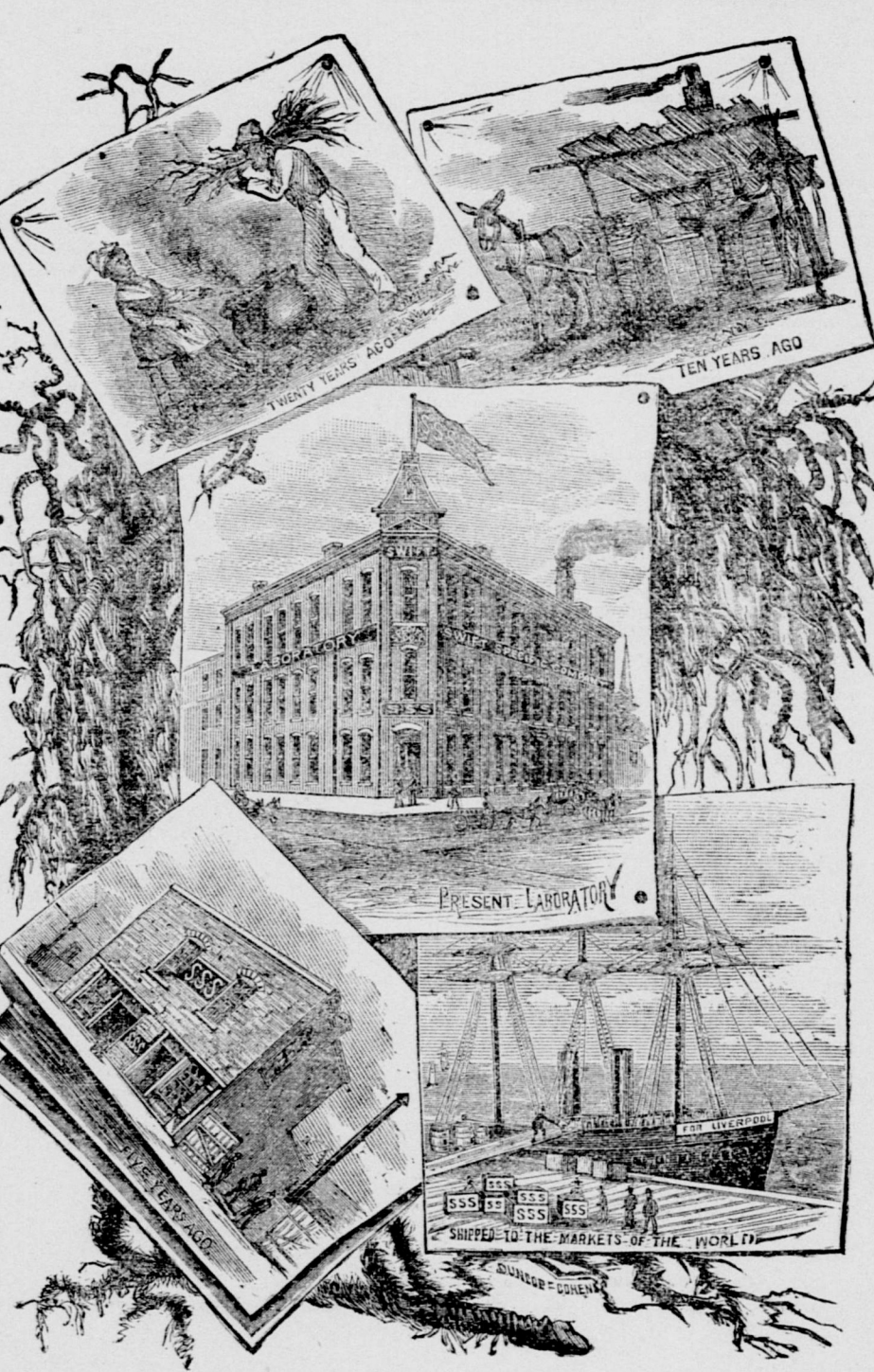
### THE GREAT NATIONAL REMEDY

FOR

Blood Poisons and Skin Diseases.



Endorsed over the whole American Continent!



## A FEW PLAIN REMARKS TO THE PUBLIC.

WE do not think there is another preparation which can bring forward such endorsements. We do not claim our remedy to be a specific for all diseases, but we do know it to be a remedy for diseases of the blood. It has been established beyond all doubt that scarcely any disease can find lodgment with the blood in good condition. To all these we say: If broken down in health, or your malady can be traced to a bad condition of your blood, take our Specific and you will not be disappointed. Our preparation removes the accumulated poison of ages from the blood, and we boldly assert that ninety per cent. of all diseases spring from some corrupting influence of this, "the fountain of all life," and we further assert that the proper vegetable remedies are cures for blood diseases.

We would again call your attention to the fact that in almost every instance where Swift's Specific was resorted to, it was after all remedies of the scientist had failed. How much more potent the Specific would be could man be induced to avail himself of its powers before "every other treatment had been tried in vain," and the system impregnated with mineral poisons.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

We invite every one who has any blood or skin disease to correspond with us. This costs nothing, as we have two physicians of education, experience and ability to attend to this correspondence. These letters are all kept strictly private.

### BEWARE OF FRAUD—HOW TO DETECT IT.

In calling the attention of consumers to the counterfeits, frauds and imitations of Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), we may be permitted to say that a remedy which has a merit never counterfeited. It is the valuable medicines only which are a prey to pirates and thieves. Remember that Swift's Specific is prepared and put up only by this Company, in oval-shaped, amber-colored bottles, and each bottle has a strip over the cork with the signatures of C. T. Swift and J. W. Rankin, Secretary Swift Specific Co.

**\$1,000 REWARD** will be paid to any Chemist who will find, on analysis of 100 bottles S. S. S., one particle of Mercury, Iodine or Potassium, or any Mineral substance.

### DRY OR POWDERED FORM.

We have reduced the roots and herbs of which Swift's Specific is prepared to a shape to readily yield their virtues to boiling water, in order to accommodate those who cannot take medicine containing spirit. We give three processes for preparing it. Each consumer can take choice; they are all equally good, but we recommend Process No. 1 to those who have been worn down and poisoned with Potash and Mercury mixtures. Price, 50 cents per package.

Interesting Treatise on "Blood and Skin Diseases" mailed free to all applicants. It should be carefully read by all.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

New York Office, 157 West 23d street.

## THE SONS OF MARS.



### NERVOUS DEBILITY CURED.

For several years past my wife's health has been exceedingly feeble—a general breakdown of the nervous system from malaria. She was greatly reduced in flesh. No remedy seemed to do her any good. In the spring of 1885 I induced her to try Swift's Specific. The first bottle gave her hope, and twenty bottles produced wonderful results. She gained thirty pounds in flesh, and it renovated her whole system. It is certainly the greatest tonic in the world.

T. J. HUGHES,

Indian Springs, Ga., Nov. 8, 1884.

### MALARIAL POISONING ERADICATED.

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### ECZEMA.

I have had skin rheum for a long time, and have suffered much from the effects of the mercury which I have taken for its relief. I have traveled all over the United States and Europe, and have never found anything to benefit me as S. S. S. has done. My skin rheum is nearly so. I was also afflicted with malaria, and S. S. S. has relieved me of it, after having tried quinine and everything else I could hear of, with no permanent benefit.

S. W. E. KELSEY,

Jan. 11, 1886. Box 67, Salem, Mass.

### TERRIBLE CASE CURED.

In 1878 I was poisoned by contact with poison-wood. My face and neck swelled terribly, and the itching and burning sensation was almost unbearable. I tried both the homoeopathic and allopathic treatment, but both failed to cure. I went under treatment of one of the most distinguished physicians of New York city, then to Dr. Agnew, of Philadelphia, and these failed to effect a cure. I tried Hot Springs, Ark., and Blount Springs, Ala., where I found temporary relief only. For two years I suffered on, and alternated between comparative relief and sufferings that seemed beyond my power to bear. It seemed no matter what I did, as it was impossible to rid myself of the poison. In 1884, in October, when in desperation, but having very little faith in it, I commenced using Swift's Specific. After I had taken a number of bottles, I felt that my digestion and general health was improved, but so far as I could tell the poison was still in my system. After I had finished the second dozen bottles I began to see a change for the better. Nearly every sign of my dread affliction had disappeared. My skin was clear and in its normal condition, and again I believed that I was forever free from this terrible affliction. I have now completed my forty-eighth bottle, and feel free again, with no sign of any eruption but a few pimples, which I believe to be the last signs of the result of my terrible blood poisoning. I cannot say too much in praise of the S. S. S.

J. E. SHERMAN,

Mobile, Ala.

### FATHER AND CHILD.

Two years ago I contracted blood poison, and after nine months of treatment by physicians with no benefit, I have been cured by Swift's Specific. When I began taking S. S. S. I had run down in flesh from 181 to 132 pounds. There were three large sloughing ulcers as large as the palm of my hand on my neck, and one on my head. Now they are all cured up, and I have regained fifteen pounds of my lost flesh. I am feeling thoroughly well, and gaining weight daily. Swift's Specific has also cured a child of mine of "king's evil" or scrofula after two doctors said it must die. I had large swellings in his neck, some eyes and a chronic discharge from one ear. It was the cure of the child which led me to take it myself for the removal of ulcers I had on my neck. I have given me any permanent relief, and I am in better health, feeling more than I ever did before. My old friends who have seen me since this wonderful change has been wrought in my appearance.

C. VAS HOSNEY, M. D.,

154 West street,

New York, December 26, 1885.

### Your most valuable medicine, Swift's Specific, has done me so much good that I feel like saying this for the benefit of those who suffer as I did. I was poisoned by poison-wood, and have since then been in the hands of the doctors for six years until I used Swift's Specific. In the six years I used almost every kind of medicine, but none had the desired effect. After using six bottles of Swift's Specific I am restored to perfect health, with not a sign of that awful poison left.

DAVID NESBITT.

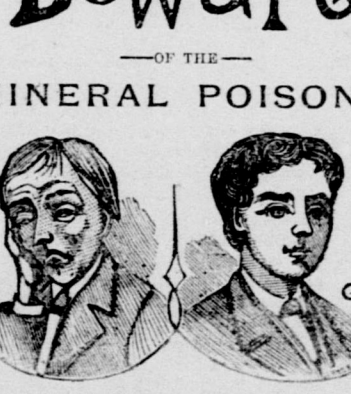
It is solid Facts the world wants. It is Truth only that commands respect of mankind.



These we give from the lips of living people. You ask for Results. We give them. Read!

## Beware

OF THE MINERAL POISONS!



### MERCURIAL RHEUMATISM.

Two years ago I took S. S. S. for a case of mercurial rheumatism, which had been afflicting me for ten years. I had waited this long before writing in order that I could be sure that I was cured, and that there would be no return of the disease. The cure has been complete, and I can now recommend Swift's Specific to those who suffer as I did. I know I cannot say too much for it. One should always be proud of the bridge that takes him over the stream.

R. J. GUNNING,

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 1, 1885.

### HEREDITARY BLOOD TAIN.

Mr. John Palmer, Sr., who is now 73 years old, has been suffering with a fearful hereditary blood taint from his early boyhood. Mercurial rheumatism ensued, and he became almost helpless. I secured for him six bottles of the S. S. S., which has almost removed the poison from his system, and entirely cured the rheumatism.

CHAS. DEBO,

Hot Springs, Jan. 1, 1883.

## CANCER CURED.

About twenty years ago I discovered a lump on my cheek, and the doctors pronounced it cancer. I have tried a number of physicians, but without receiving any permanent benefit. Among the number were one or two specialists. The medicine they applied was like fire to the sore, and caused it to grow larger. I saw a statement in the papers telling what S. S. S. had done for others similarly afflicted. I procured some at once. Before I had used the second bottle the neighbors could notice that my cancer was healing up. My general health and been bad for two or three years—I had a hacking cough and spit blood continually. I had a severe pain in my breast. After taking six bottles of S. S. S. my cough left, and my general health than I had been for several years. My cancer has healed over all but a little spot above the throat, a half-inch, and is rapidly disappearing. I would advise every one with cancer to give S. S. S. a fair trial.

Mrs. NANCY A. McCONAUGHY,

Ashe Grove, Tippecanoe County, Ind.

February 16, 1886.

## ECZEMA CONQUERED.

Gentlemen: It is due to you that I think I am entirely well of eczema after having taken Swift's Specific. I have been troubled with it very little in my face since last spring. At the beginning of the winter last fall it made a slight appearance, but went away and has never returned. I put my system in good condition and I got well. It also benefited my wife greatly in case of sick headache, and made a perfect cure of a breaking out on my little three-year-old daughter last summer.

JAMES V. M. MOIRIS.

## SCROFULA.

### A LITTLE GIRL'S AFFLICTION.

Miss Jessie Wagner is the daughter of D. R. Wagner, of the firm of Messrs. D. R. Wagner & Co., merchants in Water Valley, Miss. She writes from her home under date of October 10, 1885, and says: "I was born a little girl, and was taken with scrofula about six years ago. I was then only six years old. We tried all the best physicians in our town, as well as those at Hot Springs, Arkansas, and at the last, in Philadelphia and New York City, besides the virtues of numerous other springs, which we visited, and did for her all that affection and money could do for about four years, and with all this we barely managed to keep her alive. She was the most afflicted child I ever saw. She had abscesses on all of her joints and on her neck, and small pieces of bone worked from them for more than two years, and her elbow and hip joints stiffened. After trying, as we thought, almost everything, and apparently without any permanent effect, in our despair concluded to try Swift's Specific. Strange to say, before she had finished the first bottle we saw a change for the better. Her appetite began to improve, and her eyes to brighten. Soon she came to complain of the distressing pains which had made her life miserable for the previous years. In ten months after she began to take S. S. S. all the abscesses had healed up, and she was able to walk, and her elbow and hip joints were much better. Now, with the exception of a stiff ankle and hip, she is as well as anyone. No one who knew her could believe that she was the same child who had been so afflicted. We attribute her recovery to Swift's Specific, and I have seen it tried with several others here, and always with good results."

DAVID NESBITT.

### A WONDERFUL CHANGE.

I have been afflicted with scrofula from my infancy, and in consequence have always been a frail and delicate creature. I might truthfully say that I was raised chiefly on mercury and potash. These remedies, for the time being, would dry up the fearful ulcers with which I suffered, but they would return with greater violence. My system was so much ruined by them, and my existence was most wretched. At last a great turn came on my neck below the left ear. It increased in size until my head was forced to the right shoulder. In March, 1884, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. I have seen it tried with several others here, and always with good results."

DAVID NESBITT.

### A DESPERATE CASE.

I have been suffering with scrofula for the past four years. For two years I tried various remedies prescribed by a number of the best physicians. They treated me for what they called a fatty tumor on my neck. This proved to be a deception, as the swelling, which had assumed a fearful shape, broke and commenced to discharge freely. In 1881 being despaired of, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. I was cured, and I am in better health, feeling more than I ever did before. My old friends who have seen me since this wonderful change has been wrought in my appearance.

MISS THOMAS EMBURY,

LaGrange, Ga., May 14, 1885.

### A MOTHER'S GRATITUDE.

Gentlemen: I want you to know what your medicine has done for my little boy. For more than four years he has been suffering from scrofula. I have worked hard to get him cured, but to no purpose. All of my hard earnings during these four years, and what I had at the time we commenced his treatment, have gone to the doctors and druggists of this city, and when I gave them all up two months ago my son was cured, and could hardly walk. My arms and hands are all right again, and I can use them without pain. The entire disease has left all parts of the body save two ulcers on my wrists, which are healing rapidly. I am weak from long confinement, but I have the use of all my limbs. This medicine is bringing me out of the greatest trial of my life, and I cannot find words sufficient to express my appreciation of its virtues, and the gratitude I feel that I ever heard of it.

PETER E. LOVE, Augusta, Ga.

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